

MARCH 2004 NREMT-INTERMEDIATE/85 REREGISTRATION PROCESS

The National Registry of EMTs (NREMT) has changed the process by which they recognize re-registration at the EMT-Intermediate/85 level, however NH NREMT Intermediate/85s must complete the same refresher process as in past years. This document is to clarify that process. Without exception, the New Hampshire Bureau of EMS (NHBEMS) continues to require that all licensed EMT-Intermediate/85s attend a formal 24 hour EMT-B refresher course; successfully complete a NH BLS Practical Examination; complete an additional 12 hours of ALS continuing education; and an additional 36 hours of continuing education. Disregard the NREMT form related to Mandatory & Flexible Core topics. The following steps are necessary for re-registration for EMT-Intermediate/85s by March 31, 2004:

1. Actively working within an emergency medical service, rescue service, or patient health care facility using his/her ALS skills;
2. Complete all educational requirements prior to the March expiration date;
3. Complete the re-registration report in its entirety and submit the completed report by the March expiration date;
4. Complete a NHBEMS-approved 24-hour EMT-Basic Refresher Training Program (RTP);
5. Complete a NHBEMS-approved EMT-Basic Practical Exam;
6. Complete 12 hours of ALS continuing education;
7. Obtain CPR certification at the appropriate level current to your March expiration date;
8. Complete 36 hours of additional continuing EMS related education as outlined in Section II of this document;
9. Maintain skills as verified by your Physician Medical Director (requires signature on the NREMT re-registration report validating competency of skills).
10. Complete the NREMT-I 2004 Re-registration Form as described below:

Section 1A: Intermediate Refresher 36 hours: attach a legible photocopy of NH EMS "state seal" RTP certificate **AND** attach a separate piece of paper listing 12 hours of ALS education by date, topic and total number of training hours received and annotate how the education was delivered (i.e. classroom in-service training, video training, computer etc.);

Section IB: CPR Certification: Include a legible photocopy of CPR card (expiration date beyond 5/03) **OR** note expiration date & verifying signature on re-registration form;

Section II: 36 additional hours of EMS related continuing education. List by date, topic and total number of training hours received and annotate how the education was delivered (i.e. classroom in-service training, video training, computer etc.) If completed through distributive education you must include the approval number from CECBEMS. Include training only up to 36 hours total. **Section II does not include the 12 hours of ALS outlined in Section 1A;**

Section III: Verification of Skill Maintenance: check the appropriate method for skills verification;

Signature Area: Obtain EMS Medical Director's signature from primary the Unit's Medical Resource Hospital **AND** Obtain appropriate primary Unit authorized signature.

Note: Re-registration by the NREMT only continues your NREMT-Intermediate/85 registration. To relicense as a NH EMS provider, complete the 1-page NH EMS Provider application, attach a legible photocopy of the new NREMT-I/85 wallet card and current CPR card and submit the application to the NHBEMS.

If you have any questions, please contact John R. Clark, ALS Coordinator at (603) 271-4568.